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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Charles P. Bryant et al.

For: DISPERSANT-VISCOSITY IMPROVERS FOR LUBRICATING OIL COMPOSITIONS

the specification of which is attached hereto.

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Prior to examining the accompanying new patent application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following new claims 46-64:

- 46. An additive concentrate comprising a nitrogen-containing copolymer comprising units derived from
- (A) from about 5% to about 75% by weight of alkyl acrylate ester monomers containing from 1 to 11 carbon atoms in the alkyl group;
- (B) from about 25% to about 95% by weight of alkyl acrylate ester monomers containing from 12 to about 24 carbon atoms in the alkyl group; and
- (C) from about 0.1% to about 20% by weight of at least one nitrogen containing monomer selected from the group consisting of vinyl substituted nitrogen heterocyclic monomers, N,N-dialkylaminoalkyl acrylate monomers, N,N-dialkylaminoalkyl acrylamides, provided that the total equals 100%.

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